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MEMORANDUM FOR: Project Director

SUBJECT : TALENT Clearance

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1. [redacted] has verbally proposed a TALENT clearance for Captain Aurand, assistant to the President, and Colonel Cushman, assistant to the Vice President. It is his understanding that these men already are knowledgeable but has learned by checking our records that there are no TALENT clearances for them.

2. The reasons given in response to my query as to why they need clearance are, first, that they are already exposed and, second, that they would have to handle papers for their principals in the course of their business.

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3. I informed [redacted] office that I would have to check the matter inasmuch as all handling of TALENT materials vis-a-vis the Executive Offices of the President is a matter on which I always received instructions from our front office. I told him I would report back to him.

4. Would you please advise as to what I should answer.

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